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ZHITOMIR PETROLEUM STORAGE NORTHWEST ZHITOMIR, USSR CARPATHIAN MD

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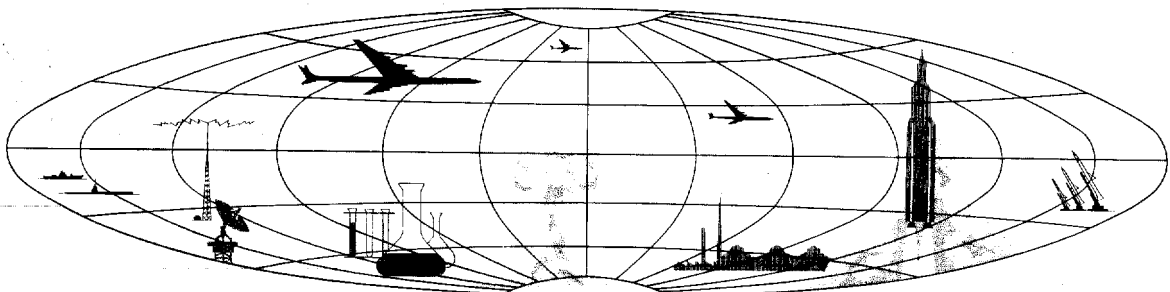


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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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ZHITOMIR PETROLEUM STORAGE NORTHWEST

(50-19N 028-35E)

ZHITOMIR, ZHITOMIRSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

CARPATHIAN MD

BE No: None

AL No: None

COMOR No: None

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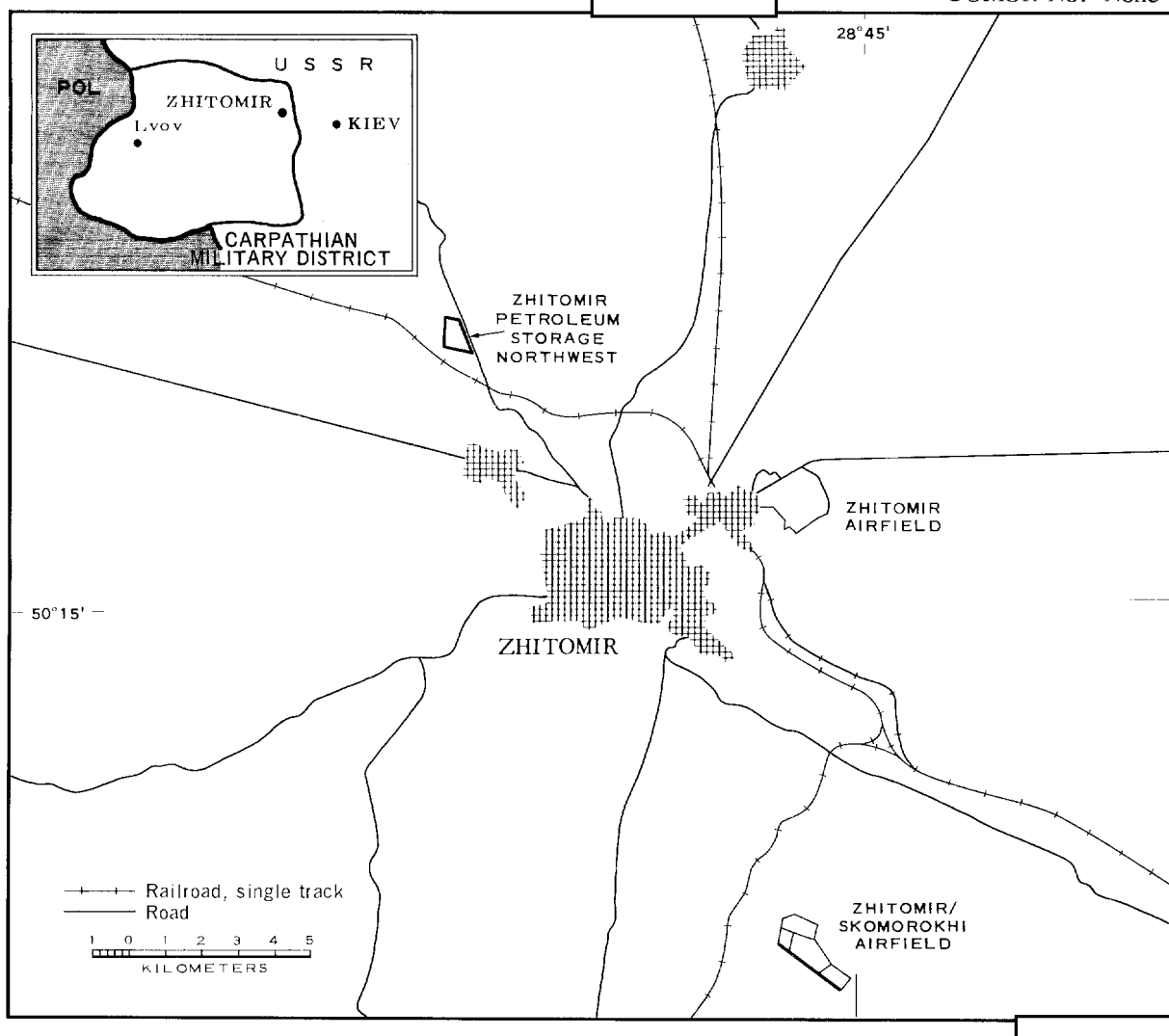


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF ZHITOMIR PETROLEUM STORAGE NORTHWEST.

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SUMMARY

This installation is located about 6 kilometers (km) northwest of Zhitomir on the northeast side of the Zhitomir--Novograd-Volynskiy railroad (Figure 1). The fenced installation covers approximately 158 acres and is surrounded by a firebreak. The site has two access rail spurs and two access roads, one of which traverses the eastern side and the other the southern. Another petroleum storage installation, Zhitomir Petroleum Storage (BE No [redacted]) is located in the eastern part of Zhitomir.

The installation (Figures 2 and 3) contains 38 aboveground tanks approximately 70 feet in diameter, two semiburied tanks, and 14 small

aboveground tanks approximately 35-40 feet in diameter. Small groups of the larger tanks are partially protected by earthen embankments. Embankments appear to surround each of the smaller tanks.

The installation also contains seven buildings, possibly for storage of petroleum products; four support buildings; an administration/maintenance area with two buildings; and two possible vehicle parks, one fenced and the other containing two buildings.

The installation was covered by [redacted]

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Two spur lines from the Zhitomir--Novograd-Volynskiy rail line enter the installation from the west. One serves the northern section and the other the southern.

Road Service

A road from Zhitomir passes through the installation along the east side. A second access road passes through the southern part and connects with roads leading into Zhitomir.

Aircraft Landing Strips

None in immediate area. Zhitomir Airfield comprising sod-surfaced field 4400' x 4100' is located 8 km to SE. Zhitomir/Skomorokhi A/F is located approximately 20 km SSE.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains two administration/maintenance-type buildings.

POL Storage Area

Area G contains thirty-eight 70-foot above-ground tanks, two 70-foot (estimated) semiburied tanks, 14 smaller aboveground tanks with a diameter of 35-40 feet, seven buildings (possibly for storage of other petroleum products) and five support buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 is a 220- by 100-foot fenced possible vehicle park.

Area J2 is a possible vehicle park approximately 350 by 180 feet containing two buildings for vehicle maintenance, one 90 by 40 feet and one 40 by 20 feet.

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FIGURE 2. ZHITOMIR PETROLEUM STORAGE NORTHWEST, USSR, [REDACTED]

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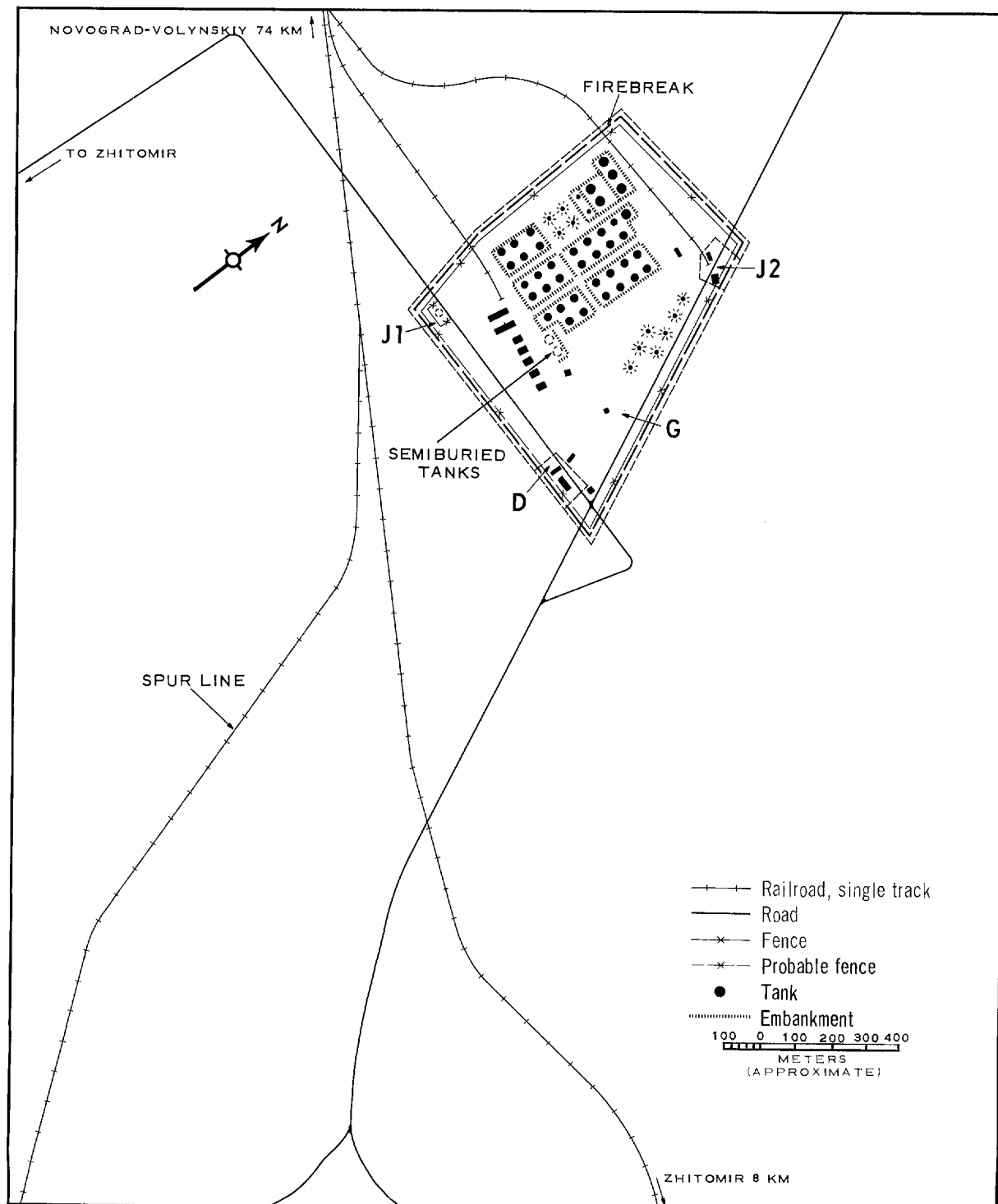


FIGURE 3. ZHITOMIR PETROLEUM STORAGE NORTHWEST. Sketch compiled from

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